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Richmond Harbor Rapidly Developing

Big Investment for City But an Excellent One at That

There are a number of inquiries received at this office as to the cost of harbor improvements to date. The city council recently made the statement that the entire harbor project, which is under the supervision of the government, has cost to date \$438,210. This includes deep water development, wharfage improvements, etc.

But it must be remembered this is not charged up to the city alone, the government's gift of \$500,000 assisting materially in the development work. There is still available \$124,000 of government money to be applied in carrying on the work.

The entire Richmond harbor project is absolutely under the control and supervision of the government. The improvement extends from the Santa Fe terminal or entrance channel, to the turning basin at Brooks Island, thence north into the inner harbor to the factory sites.

It is claimed that the harbor improvement has increased the tax rate only 11 cents, and that the advance in land values adjacent to the harbor will offset the 11 cents many times.

When Richmond's harbor facilities are completed, Richmond will be in a class with other large seaports of the Pacific Coast.

This is admitted by all who are familiar with the advantages and resources we have here directly in front of the gateway of the continent.

Hatfield Flooded Out

Coolings, March 28.—Charles M. Hatfield was flooded out here last night when his tent and all his paraphernalia were floated away by a cloudburst. Hatfield was compelled to spend the night in the branches of a tree.

Sues Richmond Florist

Martinez, March 28.—P. M. Sanford of Richmond has filed suit in the superior court here against Adolph Winters of that city for \$950 alleged to be due for services rendered and materials supplied in a building there. T. H. DeLap is attorney for the plaintiff.

Quartet For A. B.

Martinez, March 28.—District Attorney A. B. Tinning is celebrating the arrival of a fourth daughter, born in San Francisco at the Mt. Zion hospital.

Leave It to Burbank

Santa Rosa, March 28.—Luther Burbank is now working on a rose with more "pep," one with a smile and some perfume in it. Many of the California roses, though beautiful in color, have little or no fragrance.

Fatal Auto Accident

C. H. Meyer of Richmond, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident on San Pablo and Barrett avenues Friday, when his machine collided with a car driven by T. G. Thompson, local taxi driver, died Sunday morning from his injuries.

The coroner's jury was unable to agree on a verdict in fixing the responsibility.

It was in THE TERMINAL.

June Election May Be Called For Bath House

The public natatorium or bath house question is a live one for Richmond, and there is some prospect of the swimming place materializing this year.

At Monday night's council meeting the members were unanimously in favor of calling an election in June to vote bonds, the proposition to be free from other handicaps on the ballot. It is believed the project will carry with few dissenters.

The close proximity to salt water and the inducement offered by private individuals should be an incentive to take advantage of the city's resources for the much desired utility.

Santa Fe New Depot Not Quite Certain

Not much progress is being made in inducing the Santa Fe to erect a new depot on Richmond avenue. The city council discussed the matter Tuesday night, and heard the communication read from Division Supt. J. W. Walker, who declared the business on Richmond avenue did not justify a depot; that it was only a street car stop. The matter may be taken up with the railroad commission.

Automobile Turns Over Five Times

Martinez, March 27.—Five persons from Sacramento had a narrow escape from death near Pinole Monday morning when a Dodge sedan in which they were driving to Oakland skidded from the highway and turned over five times in rolling into a ditch at the side of the road. All occupants of the car escaped unhurt and were taken into Pinole, whence they continued their journey into Oakland by auto stage.

Equity Suit Filed

Martinez, March 28.—A creditor's suit in equity for Richmond property has been filed in the Superior Court here by R. T. Ballen against Steve Barbikas and Alex Miller, all of Richmond. The suit contains three causes of action.

George Canillas, who filed a suit for \$670 against Steve Barbikas, was awarded only \$64 of this sum by the Superior court Tuesday.

Pictures Tell the Tale

The Federation Service, which produced "The New Disciple" film in Richmond recently, is doing good missionary work in presenting labor's cause on the screen. Labor claims it can never get an even break from "disinterested" film companies, who either neglect or entirely misrepresent. The stock of the Federation Service Co. is selling rapidly to labor councils all over the country. Richmond labor council voted to invest in the stock at their last meeting.

Former Stationer in Town F. C. Allen (Cliff) was in town yesterday and spent a few minutes visiting friends. Cliff is now a Benedict and resides in San Francisco, with business headquarters at 444 Market street.

Tax Exempt Securities Hard Problem to Solve

A Washington dispatch says that the total amount of tax-exempt securities in the United States is \$14,670,000,000, of which \$12,300,000,000 are in the hands of the public.

Secretary of the Treasury Mellon proposes a reduction of the surtax on large incomes as a means of inducing persons who invest in these securities to put their money into expansion of productive enterprises. Their incomes, which now pay no taxes, would then become taxable. If any of the many people who demand high taxes of the rich and for that reason oppose reduction of the surtax know a better way to get taxes from the rich, let them come forward and announce it.

Of course we can stop the issue of tax-exempt securities by constitutional amendment, but that would take several years, during which the flow would continue, and it would not affect the more than 12 billions already issued.

This is a business proposition for the people to work out by arithmetic. The oratory of politicians would not help them.

The Wild Rice Crop

Fall is the time for gathering the wild rice—the manoomi of the Ojibwas, the manna of the Missisquoi. Two species of wild rice occur in Eastern North America, Zizania palustris, which is from 6 to 9 feet in height and has leaves from one-half to one and three-quarters of an inch in width, and Zizania aquatica, which grows about 3 feet high and has leaves less than half an inch in width. Both species are common along the margins of slow-flowing, muddy bottomed rivers and in muddy bays of lakes, and they extend down into slightly brackish water in tidal rivers. Both species are annuals, which in autumn drop their seeds into the water and germinate the following spring.—Nature Magazine.

Only Safe Way

"My wife is always yearning." "Yearning?" "What she reads affects her profoundly. If she reads a book about people in Paris she wants to be in Paris. If she reads a story of Venetian life she wants to be in Venice. If she reads about a pergola she wants a pergola. You see?" "I see," said the other man. "Keep her on a diet of novels, my friend. Never let her get hold of a mail-order catalogue."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Grape Cure

The "grape cure" is practiced in Switzerland by persons who are troubled with gout or liver diseases. The time they spend among the grapes of Mt. Pelicci, above Vevey, or Bexley-Bains, seems to benefit and calm patients. The juicy white grape of Switzerland is most beneficial because of its easily digested skin.

She Got Cheated

She was in a telephone booth and had just put in a call. She wept bitterly as she moved the receiver hook up and down to attract central's attention.

"Hello" came central's clear voice. "H—hello," she sobbed. "I want my money back. Harold wouldn't speak to me."

The Very Latest

"What is the latest?" "The greatest. A fireless cooker for motor cars. You cook your meals on the radiator as you jog along."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Learned Lesson Early

"How is it you let your wife have her own way?" "I once tried to stop her."—Boston Transcript.

Union Printers May Establish Home For Aged

Indianapolis, March 27.—The International Typographical Union is contemplating establishing another home in addition to the million dollar institution at Colorado Springs. The rigid winters have proved too severe for the aged members at the Colorado home.

Palm Beach, Florida, has offered the International a gift of 30 acres on which to establish a special home there for the old and infirm, and it is believed the offer will be accepted at the annual convention of the International in August.

Notwithstanding that 30,000 union printers have spent sixteen million dollars in winning the 44-hour week strike, the union is as sound financially as when it started on the strike two years ago.

This statement is proved by the sworn financial statement of the officers of the organization. The staying qualities of the union printers must be admired even by the "open shoppers" and also the advocates of the "great pacific" for all the ill of labor, the "American" Plan.

CITY BRIEFS

Lovett E. Fraser, of S. F., city attorney for Albany, was a Richmond visitor yesterday.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patens was held from a local undertaker's Wednesday.

Floyd Heston, the criminal cutter, recently with Wm. McGrath, has started up in business for himself in North Richmond.

S. Volner, who has conducted a tailor shop on the West Side for the past 20 years, has removed his place of business to 343 Sixth street.

Church Dedication

The new Presbyterian church at Stege will be dedicated next Sunday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Silsby delivering the address.

It All Depends

"It always gives a man confidence," said the popular candidate proudly, "to know that a vast body of people are behind him." "Not if they are coming too fast," murmured a snatch thief in the rear of the crowd.—Boston Transcript.

A Dollar Saved

"I fear Helen is going to marry a very stingy man." "Why do you think so?" "She suggested a morning wedding, but he said to make it after lunch, on the ground that she would get one more meal at home."

A Born Driver

Mrs. Mahr—You kept baby out in his carriage longer than I told you to, Norah. Norah—But he wanted a long ride, ma'am. Every time I came to a corner he had his arm out signaling for a turn.—Boston Transcript.

A Real Optimist

"He's the sort of an optimist I like." "In what way?" "He believes in worrying when he has something to worry about, and smiling only when a smile won't make him look foolish."

A Grave Moment

Howell—What are the duties of a best man at a wedding? Powell—I believe he is a sort of funeral director.

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Highway Signs Must Go: Is Verdict of Nature Lovers

No matter how good the road surface, the scenery cannot be considered enjoyable if interrupted and confused in the eye of the beholder by a succession of vividly painted advertising signs. The movement to beautify highways by elimination of sign advertising gathers force, but meets strenuous resistance from those who contend that a man has the right to rent the land he owns for the erection of a sign, the rent of which will pay his taxes.

Regulation, rather than elimination, is the compromise favored by advertising companies which secure sign rights to roadside property and resell the space to advertisers. They contend that the signs can not be eliminated legally but can be regulated as to size, color, distance and beauty.

In this connection, it is interesting to observe that Kansas City, Mo., in preparing for the convention of a hundred thousand Shriners next June, started an anti sign movement sponsored by the merchants association. Nearly all of its members signed the petition. Many other business men enlisted, and some of the largest and most offensive signs already have been taken down voluntarily. The proposed ordinance may include street clocks, barber poles, news and shoe shine stands, and other sidewalk obstructions.

Heather Whisky Secret

In Ireland one still will find many who will speak with regret of a secret lost long centuries ago and never recovered—the secret of heather whisky. This delicious beverage was manufactured by the Danes, who at one time overran Ireland, and its jealously guarded secret was never discovered by the native Irish. When, at last, the Kernes rose against the Danes, all but two of the Danes perished. The two survivors were father and son. To them the Irish offered their lives if they would reveal the secret of heather whisky, says the Detroit News.

"Kill him," said the old man, pointing to his son, "and I will tell you."

The boy was killed. The father laughed.

"He was young," he said, "and life is fair to the young. He might have told you. But I shall never do so. You can kill me now."

The old Dane was as good as his word. The secret of heather whisky died with him.

Patrick Henry and the "Bottail Politician"

It is said that Chief Justice Marshall used to narrate with great glee the following correspondence on a point of honor between Governor Giles of Virginia and Patrick Henry: "Sir," wrote the governor, "I understand that you have called me a bottail politician. I wish to know if it is true, and, if true, your meaning."—W. R. Giles.

Patrick Henry's reply came promptly: "Sir, I do not recall calling you a bottail politician at any time, but I think it probable that I have. I can't say what I did mean; but if you will tell me what you think I meant, I will tell whether you are correct or not."

This was leaving it to Giles with a vengeance, says the Kansas City Star, but as there was no further correspondence the governor of Virginia must have read somewhere between the lines of Patrick Henry's brilliantly equivocal reply.

Oscar Lee is working on a big painting contract at Crockett.

Valuable Concession; Small Compensation

Good Showing Made in Building Permits First Quarter

According to statistics given out by City Building Inspector Wierds permits aggregating \$65,673 have been issued this month to date.

The total permits issued the month of January and February are valued at \$121,321 and \$69,170 respectively.

Adding the March permits to this gives a total for the year to date of \$256,136.

The permit issued of highest valuation was that of the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone building, which was \$75,000. The next highest is the V. M. C. A. building, \$13,800.

Elks Lodge No. 1251 Initiate Class of Twelve

Richmond Elks entertained Valjejo Tuesday night, and a large delegation came down to visit and put on the initiatory work.

Twelve new members were taken under the wing of 1251, which increases the membership roll to approximately the 1000 mark.

An excellent program was rendered, and a good spread was well patronized in the basement after the upstairs session.

The new officers of the lodge will be initiated at next Tuesday night's meeting. Arthur A. Alstrom will wield the "mallet" the coming year as exalted ruler.

San Pablo Inn "In Bad"

Abatement proceedings have been instituted in the superior court in Martinez by District Attorney A. B. Tinning to close the resort known as San Pablo Inn, situated on San Pablo avenue, one of the highway's well known roadhouses.

Highways Would Be Safe If Rules Were Observed

A number of remedies have been suggested and outlined to make the highways safe for present day traffic. Here are five good ones:

1. Take away the cars of careless drivers.
2. Punish the reckless and intoxicated operators until they recognize the rights of the great majority of law abiding and careful motorists.
3. Investigate accident causes, which newspapers throughout the country are now helping to do, to point the way for proper remedies.
4. Give safety education in the schools.
5. Make thorough analysis of traffic movement; regulations and facilities are needed in each city.

Albany Activities

Mrs. Myron Hall of Oakland, formerly of Albany, visited friends in Albany Saturday. The Hall lived at Marin and Cornell avenue for several years and have many friends here.

Mrs. Heath T. Coburn was taken suddenly ill at her home 1443 Marin avenue Monday. Her physician hurried her to the hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is now getting along nicely. Mr. Coburn is secretary of the East Albany Improvement association.

Council Leases Ferry Slip Terminal to Syndicate

The city council Monday night granted a 25-year lease to the Richmond-San Francisco Transportation Co. for the use of a ferry slip to be constructed near the municipal warehouse. The annual rental is fixed at \$50.

The agreement must be carried out to the letter, or the lease is invalidated.

East Cutting to Be Improved at Once; Contract Awarded

El Cerrito has finally concluded to improve the east Cutting boulevard strip of paving that has caused much profanity and a few accidents. The heavy traffic over this cut-off to Richmond has rooted the macadam up until it resembles the choppy waters of the bay.

The El Cerrito trustees accepted the bid of the Warren Construction Co., \$6777.39 and \$250 for the culvert.

The California Construction Co.'s bid was \$7327.51, and \$400 for the culvert.

While being constructed a slight detour path can be made by vehicles.

Widow of Murdered Traffic Officer to Get \$2000 Pension

Sacramento, March 28.—Through the efforts of the division of motor vehicles a policy of \$5000 has been secured for Mrs. Betty Pickett, widow of Clarence Pickett, late traffic officer of Maderna county. Pickett was shot and killed last November while attempting the arrest of a violator near Maderna.

One of his slayers was sentenced to death and the other was given life imprisonment. Mrs. Pickett will be paid in monthly installments.

Parallel Parking Required On Tenth Street

A number of local business men were "pinched" Tuesday for not complying with the parking ordinance. Parallel parking is now required on Tenth street. Judge Odell says "ignorance of the law will not be considered."

Concord Bank Taken Over by American

Concord, March 28.—The formal transfer of the First National Bank of this city took place Monday. There was no change in the local staff. Former Cashier George Barnett is now manager.

Lock Favored Her

Miss Lucile Valentine, financial secretary of Richmond labor council, who was in a recent auto accident, luckily escaped with a slight shaking up and a few minor bruises. It was a close call.—The Journal.

Labor to Build Their Own

Seattle, March 27.—The street carmen of this city are planning the erection of their own building to cost \$100,000.

No Feathers on Them, Either

George Lohr has received the largest consignment of dressed chickens that ever came to town, and there isn't a "live one" in the bunch.

COOLIDGE LEADS ON UNOFFICIAL COUNT

PRESIDENT AHEAD OF JOHNSON IN SOUTH DAKOTA

OFFICIAL RETURNS MAY REVERSE THE POSITIONS

Governor McMaster Seems to Have Won Senatorial Nomination From Sterling. — Idaho-Mississippi in street for Coolidge.

Sioux Falls.—(Semi-official returns from 54 of the 1,740 precincts throughout the state were: Coolidge 22,575; Johnson 19,583.

George Norbeck, manager for the California Senator's campaign issued a statement claiming Johnson positively has carried South Dakota.

Sioux Falls.—On the face of returns available the Sioux Falls Press declared Governor W. H. McMaster had decisively won the Republican senatorial nomination over Senator Thomas Sterling.

Sioux Falls.—President Coolidge led Hiram Johnson by a narrow margin on the face of early returns from the South Dakota presidential primary. With 110 of the state's 1,740 precincts reported, the count was: Coolidge, 6,433; and Johnson, 5,712. The same precincts in the senatorial contest gave Governor McMaster 6,580, and Senator Sterling, 5,712.

First returns gave Coolidge and Sterling apparently wide margins over their opponents, who, however, showed greater strength as returns were received from rural districts. The earliest returns from country precincts were in the ratio of 3 to 1 for Johnson.

Whether South Dakota was to remain in the ranks of the conservative states or swing to the progressive column was the question for its voters to decide at the presidential primary. It was the first state primary in which both major parties had contests.

The vote came at the end of a bitter two months' campaign which developed alliances unprecedented in the history of the state. The state proposal meeting at Pierre, in December, which resulted in "fusion" opposition to William Gibbs McAdoo on the Democratic ticket, also put wide issues in the presidential ranks.

Governor W. H. McMaster, who received the Republican majority nomination in his campaign for the United States senate, has stumped the state for Senator Johnson, as have Senator Peter Norbeck, Congressman Royal C. Johnson and other strong campaigners.

Senator Sterling, who accepted the minority nomination, has been a vigorous campaigner for President Coolidge, who was majority choice on the Republican ticket. Newspapers of the state have largely swung their support to Coolidge.

No candidate was in the field against McAdoo, who received the Democratic majority nomination, but fusion forces sought the election of an uninstructed delegation.

Jackson.—Two rival conventions, each claiming to be the Republican state convention of Mississippi met and pledged delegations toward the nomination of Coolidge. Each convention instructed the full state quota of twelve to support the president's candidacy.

Leviathan.—The Republican state convention instructed the Idaho delegation to the national convention to vote for the nomination of President Coolidge.

FEDERAL AGENTS INCREASED IN FIGHT ON CATTLE PLAGUE

Bismarck.—Federal agents numbering 200, have been dispatched to San Francisco by the federal department of agriculture in Washington. The men were sent by Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, at the urgent request of the head of the state department of agriculture, George H. Hecke, in the efforts being made to check the spread of the hoof and mouth disease which has made its appearance in that district. The most rigid quarantine measures are now being enforced in the city and county of San Francisco, and with the news of the fresh outbreak of the epidemic, neighboring states are preparing to take precautionary measures.

Rigid inspection of 8,000 herds of cattle in southern California, was ordered in connection with the rigorous quarantine proclaimed by Governor Richardson. All moves are based upon discovery of an infected herd at the stockyards here, which had been shipped from Merced, and not against a general condition.

Pedestrians May Walk Streets.—Sacramento.—Pedestrians may walk in the middle of the street as much as they please, says the district court of appeals in the case of R. Deverch, whose suit for \$10,000 damages in an automobile accident was upheld.

Kingsburg.—Harvey Abrahamson met his death when he attempted to extinguish a fire in a fence, ignited by a fallen power line. Charles Burgeson, was killed trying to save him. Abrahamson was the possessor of a cross of guerre.

ANNIVERSARY CEREMONY ATTENDED BY OVER 7,000

President Campbell Cites Fundamental Purpose of Education in Annual Address.—Governor Richardson Delivers Key to University.

Berkeley.—The fifty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the University of California was celebrated in the Greek theatre in the presence of a throng which filled it to its capacity of nearly 7,000. The famous open-air theatre, some alike of undergraduate frolics, decorous commencement exercises, assemblies to wage war and to rejoice over peace, and the memorial services for the nation's soldier dead, made an impressive setting for observance of the anniversary of one of the world's great seats of learning.

The central figure in the Charter Day exercises was William Wallace Campbell, Sc. D., LL.D., who was formally inducted into the presidency of the university, a post which he has held, in fact, since last July. A Schwabach's "Processional March" played by the university orchestra, was followed by the invocation delivered by the Right Rev. Edward L. Parsons, bishop coadjutor of California. William H. Crocker, representing the board of regents, and patron of the university, was the first speaker. He described the qualifications required of the president and formally proclaimed his investiture. Governor Richardson delivered to the new president the keys to the university.

The principal address was delivered by President Campbell on "Universities and Truth." He said: "The fundamental purpose of universities is to hasten the coming of the day when all men and all women shall have a much larger knowledge and comprehension of the truth, so that they may live their lives more richly and more usefully in this exceedingly interesting world, in order, as the Master said, that the truth shall make them free."

Greetings addressed to President Campbell were delivered by Professor Gilbert N. Lewis, for the faculty; Warren Olney Jr., for the alumni; William W. Morgan, president of the associated student body, for the students, and Alfred H. Lloyd, dean of the graduate school of the university of Michigan, President Campbell's alma mater, for the various represented schools and colleges.

CONGRESS LOITERS WITH MANY MEASURES AWAITING ACTION

Washington.—Legislative conferences between Republican leaders of congress and President Coolidge will continue this week in an effort to formulate a program and plans for its consummation. So far the house has passed the treasury, postoffice and interior appropriation bills, the tax-bills, Muscle Shoals and the soldier bonus. They still have some twenty appropriation measures before them and the immigration bill. The senate, however, has passed but one measure, the interior appropriation bill, and has before it all the measures passed by the house in addition to the legislation originating with its own members.

The prospect, however, is that little will be done because of the presidential year. Lack of unanimity in the paper majority of the Republican party. The distracting effect of the various investigations.

Amendment Measure Up.—Washington.—The senate by a vote of 34 to 29 adopted an amendment to the proposed Wadsworth amendment to the constitution, whereby any constitutional amendments would be submitted to the qualified electors and the legislatures of the states. The original Wadsworth amendment would have put a constitutional amendment up to the electors alone. The Jones provision put it up to them after it has been voted upon by the legislatures. Its adoption is expected.

Transbay Bridge Funding

San Francisco.—Announcement of receipt of a definite offer from a group of New York capitalists to finance the proposed Golden Gate bridge from San Francisco to Sausalito was made here by the president of the Bridging the Golden Gate association, who said a representative of the group was then in San Francisco, but refused to reveal his identity. He estimated between \$21,000,000 and \$25,000,000 would be required to build the bridge.

Stines Quit Reichstag.—Berlin.—Hugo Stines, Germany's foremost industrial and financial magnate, has resigned his Reichstag seat. Stines is ill and his physician advised him to give up business and political affairs.

Kaps to Resigning Stevenson.—Napa.—Residents here are starting a movement to preserve the old house in the hills north of this valley where Robert Louis Stevenson lived when he wrote "The Silverado Squatters."

\$5,000,000 for Quincy Road.—Sacramento.—The minimum cost of building a state highway up the north fork of the Feather river to connect Oroville with Quincy will aggregate between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000, says a preliminary report submitted to the state highway commission.

Students Hurt Egg.—Columbia, Mo.—Three University of Missouri students are under \$200 bond for hurting an egg from the gallery during the performance of "Just Married" at a local playhouse.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

The League of California Municipalities, embracing 244 towns of the state, in session at Sacramento, pledged its efforts for the adoption of a new constitution, amendment of the motor vehicle act to permit cities to share in the motor vehicle receipts, repeal of legislation granting special privileges to corporations at the expense of the cities and the adoption of laws giving municipalities a right to pass on privileges granted corporations.

Present growth indicates that California's census will reach the 6,000,000 mark by 1920, which will be an increase of one and a quarter millions. This figure is considered conservative and is indicated by the number of homes being constructed in the cities and towns of the state. It has been shown that at least 200,000 visitors come to the state each year and spend at least \$100,000,000.

Suit for \$3,000,000 for alleged defamation of character was filed at San Francisco by Marcus Krugbaum, broker, against two banking institutions, with which he was formerly connected, and the Burns detective agency. The trouble began in 1918 over changing the name of one of the banking institutions to conform to the war spirit, which Krugbaum opposed.

Elder J. L. McElhany of Glendale, was re-elected president of the Pacific Union conference of Seventh Day Adventists at Fresno; B. M. Emerson, also of Glendale, was re-elected secretary and treasurer; F. T. Oakes of Los Angeles, formerly business manager of the Los Angeles academy, was elected auditor to succeed T. L. Copeland, who has accepted a position as treasurer of the Glendale sanatorium.

California, with its fifty-eight counties, comprising an area of 158,340 square miles, produces a larger variety of minerals commercially than any equal area in the world. Every county contributes to some extent to the state's output of mineral wealth, which consists of fifty-three commercial minerals, not including many varieties of gems and miscellaneous stones.

The State Building Trades council held its twenty-fourth annual meeting at Sacramento. President MacDonald's address recommended the abolition of child labor, development of water power for the benefit of all the people and rigid restriction of immigration. He pronounced the past year one of excellent progress in the building trades.

The Trinity Center mining district, fifty miles north of Redding, in displaying great activity due to the resumption of extensive operations at the Bonanza King mine at Carrville. The plans of the management are for intensive development of quartz veins and the installation of electric plants for hydraulic operations on the placer gravel.

The Western Fair association has announced the tentative harness race program for 1924, as follows: Stockton, Aug. 21 to 27; Sacramento (state fair), Aug. 30 to Sept. 7; Tanforan (San Francisco), Sept. 9 to 14; San Jose, Sept. 16 to 20; Bakersfield, Sept. 23 to 27; Ventura, Oct. 1 to 5; Riverside, Oct. 7 to 11; Pomona, Oct. 14 to 18.

California's population took a sudden bulge with the arrival at San Francisco, aboard the Panama-Pacific liner, Manchuria, of Frederick Haklin and family—eleven persons in all. Haklin formerly lived in the Golden state, but returned to the east. He will engage in the raisin industry at Fresno.

The Southern Pacific company won its contention before the state railroad commission for a reopening of the case awarding a refund to the Pacific Portland Cement company from the railroad for charges during the period of federal "guarantee." A previous request of the railroad had been denied.

Officers of the Middle Feather Power company announced that construction work on their plant at Bean Creek, sixteen miles north of Oroville, will start this summer and that within the next few years they will spend \$10,000,000 in developing power in Butte and Plumas counties.

W. B. Grank, resident of Alameda and a former director of the United States Steel corporation, was killed during a demonstration of a fire truck, when the brakes failed to work and the truck went over an embankment. Harry Martin, 24-year-old war veteran, who was arrested at Livermore in February for burglary, was given an indeterminate term at San Quentin. Clemens will be asked for him of the prison board by the court.

The superior court of Fresno county has affirmed the verdict of the jury which convicted Frank Stone of slaying Police Officer James Harterbrook at Fresno, last July and he must serve life imprisonment.

A. W. Cotte was acquitted of an indictment charges at Los Angeles brought after his prokage firm had failed with losses approximating \$4,000,000. He was tried on seven counts.

William Hightower, serving life sentences for the murder of Father Patrick Healin, was refused the last chance for freedom by a final denial for appeal.

The Placerville post of the American legion dedicated their new building March 23 with state adjutant, Morgan Keaton, delivering the "Just Married" at a local playhouse.

Rio Linda dedicated the new Calvary Lutheran church with special services. Students of the San Jose junior high school say with a time clock instead of the familiar "present."

Forces favoring the San Mateo naval base site are preparing to take their case to Washington.

Seventy-five names are listed of possible graduates from the Chico state teachers college in June.

Owners of electric cars must pay the weight fee in addition to the \$10 registration fee and \$3 for license.

Benjamin Brown, Sacramento negro, was given from one to ten years at Folsom for assaulting a negro woman.

Southern California bonds amounting to \$14,000 were stolen from registered mail between Chicago and San Francisco.

Preparations are under way by the Chico post of Spanish war veterans for the state organization encampment there in May.

Dr. S. N. Coleman, Antioch physician, and two Colusa Chinese were given five years each in federal prison for violation of the narcotic law.

Will J. French, member of the industrial accident commission, has resigned to take charge of the newly organized California Society of the Blind.

Three members of the convict road camp working near Briceburg were injured in a blast and were returned to the San Quentin hospital for care and treatment.

The eighty-fifth annual gathering of the San Jose Presbyterian society, composed of women's organizations of the surrounding territory was held at Santa Clara.

Daniel Harris, 85, one of the last of the San Francisco vigilantes, is dead. He came to California in 1851 and had lived in San Francisco for seventy-three years.

Dr. Chas. Weissmann, president of the World Zionist organization and leader of the movement to reestablish the Jews in Palestine, will come to California in April.

The drowning of the 20-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emel Gruber of Glenn in a canal near their home was the third death in the family from the same cause in two years.

Traffic over the Central California Traction company's lines between Sacramento and Stockton was closed four days for repairs to a 600-foot trestle which was damaged by fire.

A cool-headed manager and his corps of ashers emptied a motion picture theatre at Fresno of 2,000 persons without panic or injury to anyone when fire destroyed two reels of films.

The holdings of the American Gold Dredging company at Oroville and in the Thermaito dredging fields, containing large deposits of cement limestone, have been transferred to the Pacific Gas and Electric company.

Miss Frances E. Sheldon, J. D. A. B., 22-year-old law librarian at Stanford university and graduate of the Lowell high school, topped the list of forty-four young barristers just admitted to practice law in the state.

Slason residents were drafted by the chamber of commerce to help complete the road from the business district to the state fish hatchery, that visitors, who flock there by the hundreds every summer, may have pleasant going.

Charles Paddock has been reinstated by the Amateur Athletic union after nearly a year's controversy among athletic governing bodies and will resume training at Pasadena for a try at a place on the American Olympic team.

The organizers of the new Yuba City company of national guards have examined and passed most of the quota, whose names have been sent to the adjutant general. The new pavilion being built there will be used for an armory.

The affairs of the Sacramento Valley Bank at Biggs and its branch at Butte City are in the hands of J. E. Johnson, state bank examiner, for reorganization to place them on a basis satisfactory to the state banking department.

Earl Phelps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Phelps of Stanford, Colusa county, was summoned by radio from a United States steamer 500 miles off the California coast and attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Ernest Phelps, at Maxwell.

The Shasta County Fish and Game Conservation league will start a fight for an initiative measure which would make the Klamath river state protected fish reserve and prevent the construction of a 250-foot dam over the stream at Pilot Falls.

Climbing aboard a Los Angeles street car on the morning of March 16 was the last definite recollection William Hall, structural iron worker, had until he found himself rolling a cigarette on a Sacramento street eight days later, he told the police.

Construction of a fire-proof addition to the court house, a new jail, the abolishment of the Fresno county department of public welfare and the employment of social workers by the supervisors were recommended by the 1923 grand jury report recently filed.

A raid on a Soviet school at San Pedro by the Los Angeles police netted thirty-nine alleged Communist students and half a ton of literature of the same complexion. Manuel Levin, a Russian bookkeeper, was instructing the "class" in Soviet etiquette.

Alexander Cameron, blind, was granted a divorce in the Los Angeles superior court from Elizabeth M. Cameron, blind musician. Married twenty-five years ago, the Camerons were both sightless from childhood. Thomas Carruthers, also blind, was named as co-respondent.

STATE LETTER Around Capital and State Institutions

April 24 has been selected for the sale of 54,000 acres of southern school lands—30,000 acres in San Diego county, to be sold in Imperial and 24,000 acres in Imperial. All of the lands will be sold at public auction where agents may bid for principals and the money received will go into the school fund. Reservations will be made in the land in Imperial county for the canal which is a part of the Colorado river irrigation project. While practically all the territory to be offered is semi-desert, its value will be immense when the Boulder canyon project is completed.

Upholding the superior court of San Francisco, the state supreme court declared the members of the state board of chiropractic examiners were disqualified under the provisions of the statute that they shall have been licensed practitioners in the state for at least three years previous to their selection. Since the board itself, a product of the last legislature, was created to establish the legality of such practice, they could not have been practicing legally. This action, which removes the board from office, was prosecuted by Attorney General Webb.

Santa Monica citizens are seeking to organize an air unit of the California national guard which the state is entitled to under the program of the war department. It organized, and when ready to function, the unit will be equipped with planes by the government and will form a part of the Fourth division. Adjutant General Middleton will investigate the feasibility of such a step while in the north on an inspection tour of the guard units at Los Angeles, San Pedro and San Diego.

Will C. Wood has addressed a communication to all school teachers warning against prattling and essay contests of a partisan nature. "To avoid embarrassment from partisans wishing to use the contest for propaganda purposes, I suggest that no contest be permitted if its sponsors insist that the students preparing for the contest shall use books that reflect upon provisions of the constitution, such as provisions for initiative, referendum and recall," the communication said.

The trend of the feminine mind is once more toward etiquette and kindred topics and away from the frothy, jassy literature of the vogue, in the announcement made by State Librarian Ferguson who says that books on etiquette have been called for more this year, than any others in the California collection. He also states that receipts of reports show that volumes on etiquette lead all others in sales at the important book stores of the state.

Voters of the state will have to pick from 154 delegates to various national conventions at the May primaries. On the Republican ticket there will be twenty-nine delegates each for Johnson and Coolidge for president, while the Democratic delegates number thirty for McAdoo and a like number unaffiliated. "Prohibitionists will have twenty-nine, and seven delegates will be sent to the Socialist national convention."

State Superintendent Wood has sent out word to school boards to put a stop to the enrollment of children under six years in the elementary schools. The superintendent holds that the school rooms are being made day nurseries by mothers who do not wish to burden themselves with the care of their "infants" and so shoulder them onto the school teachers.

The department of agriculture has issued a warning on the strength of certain information, that owners of livestock who purposely allow their cattle to become infected with the foot and mouth disease will not be indemnified, but will have their stock slaughtered under the department's police powers and will be prosecuted for fraud besides.

An initiative petition for the 1926 election to lay down a law insurance companies doing business in California was proposed by the advisory board of the California State Firemen's association at their session in Sacramento. The proceeds of the tax would be used to assist municipalities in paying the pensions of retired firemen.

Nearly all industries of the state show a surplus of labor for the month of February. The department of labor shows a continuance of the building activities in the larger cities of the state, though not of sufficient proportions to absorb the surplus of skilled labor.

Unable to agree with the policies of the state land settlement board, Walter Packard, superintendent of the Delhi colony since its opening five years ago, resigned at the meeting of the board at Modesto. His resignation to become effective April 1.

Allegiance to the flag is no form of idol worship and is no way interferes with religious beliefs, declares Superintendent Wood in answer to a protest against his order requiring children in the public schools to salute the flag.

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Always Keep a Box on Hand. Brandreth Pills are a safe and reliable laxative, made in America for ninety years, entirely vegetable.—Adv.

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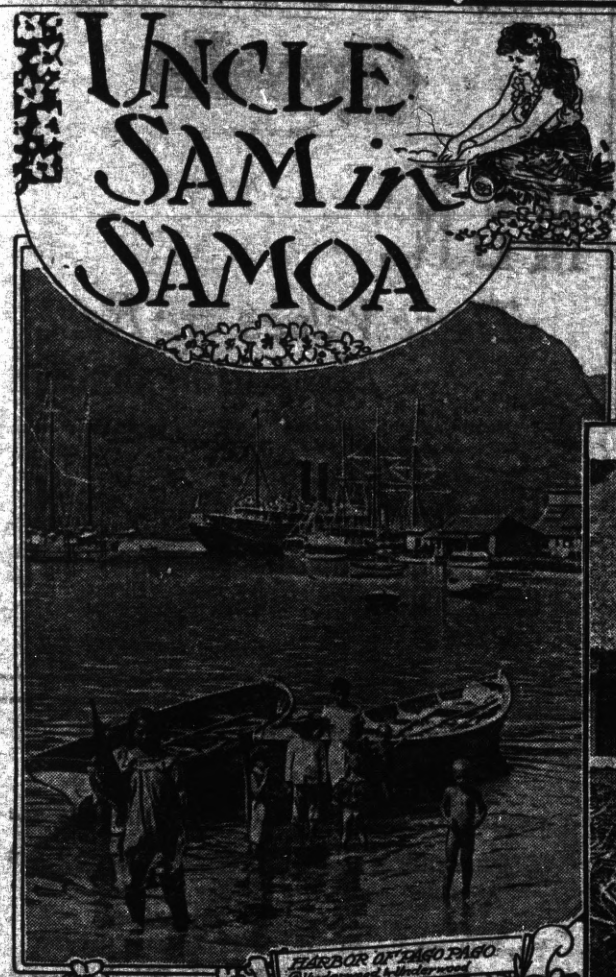
those head colds

At the first sneeze, begin spraying the nose and throat with Zonite twice daily. It will help materially to destroy the seat of the trouble—usually germ infections somewhere in the nasal cavity. Zonite is the form of antiseptic which practically wipes infection out of the hospitals in France during the World War.

Zonite KILLS GERMS

Propaganda, the word is hardly coming to have a bad name. It should not.

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Uncle Sam in Samoa

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

THESE are perilous times. All the world has troubles. Of course Holy Writ tells that "man is born unto trouble," but he seems to be getting an extra dose right now. In the United States, the wealthiest, most prosperous and most powerful nation of earth, he is fussing over politics, taxation and the oil scandal. Even our dependencies are not entirely happy. The Philippines are just crazy over independence. Hawaii and Alaska want statehood. Porto Rico demands self-government. Guam is afraid of earthquakes. And so on.

American Samoa actually appears to be the only happy land. And even in Samoa, Uncle Sam is making out as well as the rest of the world. He is doing them good and plenty. Besides, there's a good deal of conjunctivitis, an eye disease caused by a gram negative diplococcus. Otherwise the American Samoans in very well, thank you, and as happy as a clam at high water.

"The Happy Isles" is a name often given nowadays to American Samoa, and it seems well applied. And apparently Uncle Sam deserves a lot of credit for their happiness. On the other hand, the Americans of Samoa evidently deserve happiness. It's one place where the "White Man's Burden" is a light load. And the white man's way of carrying the burden is certainly interesting.

The Samoan islands number fourteen and were named Navigator islands by Bougainville, who discovered them in 1769. They are the peaks of submerged extinct volcanoes. They lie about 2,000 miles south of Hawaii. The three largest are Savaii, 600 square miles; Upolu, 300, and Tutuila, 60. The latter, with a few smaller adjacent islands, constitutes American Samoa. There is tropical vegetation and coral reefs. "Every prospect pleases and only man is vile"—and he's a pretty good sort, being a Polynesian largely as nature made him.

The United States gained the harbor of Pago Pago on Tutuila in 1878 by treaty for a coaling and naval station. In 1889 an American, British and German conference at Berlin gave Samoa the status of neutral territory with native laws and customs. In 1899 the kingdom was abolished and Great Britain and Germany ceded Tutuila to the United States. Great Britain withdrew from the islands. During the World War New Zealand took possession of German Samoa, and now governs it under mandate of the League of Nations.

It would puzzle a Philadelphia lawyer to determine the political status



TAUPO AND TALKING HEAD LEADING THE TALKING HEADS

of a citizen of American Samoa. Congress ratified the treaty with Great Britain and Germany by which we took over Tutuila, but has never provided for its annexation or administration. President McKinley signed an executive order placing the islands under the navy.

Succeeding presidents have acted in accordance with this opinion by one of our attorney generals:

Neither the Constitution nor the laws of the United States have been extended to them, and the only administrative authority existing in them is that derived mediately or immediately from the president as commander in chief of the army and navy of the United States.

It is certain, however, that American Samoa is not foreign, but domestic territory, and that "Samoaans are not citizens of the United States, but owe allegiance to the flag."

So for twenty-three years the navy has governed American Samoa. The government is vested in a naval officer, customarily with the rank of captain. The present governor is Capt. Edwin Taylor Pollock, born in Ohio in 1870, and with a brilliant record beginning with the Spanish-American war.

The 1923 annual report of the surgeon general of the navy, Rear Admiral E. H. Sims, gives a bit of the many governmental activities of the navy:

The Samoan hospital continues to go splendidly well and is gradually gaining the confidence of the people. To this institution 481 patients were admitted during the year, requiring 4,484 days of treatment. In the dispensary 4,942 patients received treatment. At this hospital a dental clinic for Samoan people is held twice a week. In Guam a training school for native nurses is conducted in connection with this hospital. Since the establishment of this school in 1914, 100 native women have been graduated and 100 are now under instruction. Ten of the graduates are now employed as visiting nurses in the various native communities. These nurses administer simple drugs, attend to the needs of the mother in care of babies, and see that those who need treatment are sent to the hospital.

The report says that a recent survey of Samoa revealed 2,500 cases of yaws, a type of skin disease, upon which a campaign was immediately started to eradicate it by the administration of neosphenamine.

A severe type of conjunctivitis, an eye disease, is very prevalent in Samoa, says the report. A recent survey revealed 168 cases in a population of

8,194, and more than 500 cases of total blindness. It is believed that, like yaws, this disease is spread by flies and mosquitoes have accordingly been instructed to control it by early treatment of the infestation and the prevention of fly breeding.

Privileged visitors in the islands says E. W. Pickard, may still occasionally witness some of the interesting ceremonies of the natives. Among these is the Talolo, or food presentation procession, followed by a feast, given in honor of some distinguished individual. The parade is led by a teupo or official village maiden, attired in a lavishly of bark cloth and decked with garlands of flowers. After her come three "talking men"—a kind of assistant chief—and then follow all the assembled men, women and children in their best bib and tucker, each



SAMOA'S PRIDE

carrying some article of food, a chicken, a fish, a banana, a breadfruit, or something else. The entire procession is carried out in accordance with strict and ancient rules of etiquette. Slowly the parade advances, and as it passes a designated spot each one deposits his food gift. When all is done the procession disbands and all hands gather around the heap of offerings. Their solemnity is dispelled, big bowls of kava are made by the priestess of the gods, and the festivities last for hours.

Frank Bohn, an American publicist, who has recently made an extensive tour of the islands of the southern Pacific, pays Uncle Sam and the United States navy a handsome compliment in an article, "The White Man's Burden in American Samoa," in the Current History Magazine. He brings out these points, among others:

"To the navy has fallen the administration of American Samoa, and so well is the task being accomplished that this small group may well be called 'The Happy Isles.' Here are to be found 8,000 sturdy aborigines, browned by the tropic sun and fed by the superabundant bounty of their soil. The possession of that soil is guaranteed to them forever by the government of the United States. The white man's poison, his opium, alcohol, patent medicines and commercialized drugs are rigidly prohibited. All medical services are supplied free. The export produce of the islands, a thousand or more tons of copra per annum, is sold to the best advantage by government monopoly. If anything more can be done for these people, one wonders what it might be."

"Pago Pago leaves a lasting memory imprinted upon the mind of the visitor. Nowhere else in the tropics are the towering mountains covered by more luxuriant or more beautiful vegetation. The gold-brown bodies of the native storekeepers are tall, well muscled and beautiful. The copra is loaded to the tune of millions furnished by a native hand. Decent women and girls flock about to sell the native fruits and flowers. No glance is perverted by hatred and suspicion. No face bears the mark of the corrupting diseases of the careless invader. Our eight thousand Samoans are no longer a 'white man's burden.'"

Work Where You Are

If you intend to go to work, there is no better place than right where you are; if you do not intend to go to work, you cannot get along anywhere. Squirming and crawling about from place to place can do no good.—Abraham Lincoln.

Age of Young Men

Every age is the age of young men, but the older men seem to have the money.



WEEKLY MENU SUGGESTIONS

During the winter weather one is able to take care of heartier foods and fats which are heat producing.

The housewife has canned all sorts of fruits and the vegetables not found in the markets during the winter. These will add variety to the menu. Canned peas, beans and corn can usually be bought in most markets at a fair price.

SUNDAY—Breakfast: Cinnamon rolls. Dinner: Baked ham, squash, creamed onion. Supper: Apple salad.

MONDAY—Breakfast: Muffins. Dinner: Pork chops, baked potatoes. Supper: Bean soup.

TUESDAY—Breakfast: Graham cracker. Dinner: Baked chicken. Supper: Hot watermelon.

WEDNESDAY—Breakfast: Biscuits. Dinner: Beefsteak, baked potatoes. Supper: Oyster stew.

THURSDAY—Breakfast: Baked apples or grapefruit. Dinner: Baked mutton. Supper: Layer cake with whipped cream.

FRIDAY—Breakfast: Coffee cake. Dinner: Baked fish, dill pickles. Supper: Sliced cold boiled mutton.

SATURDAY—Breakfast: Bacon and eggs. Dinner: Apple dumplings. Supper: Milk toast.

Graham Grog.

Take one cupful each of graham flour and sour milk, one-half teaspoonful each of soda and salt, one beaten egg, two tablespoonfuls each of sugar and melted fat. Beat well and bake in heated gem tins.

Boiled Dinner.

Cook a three-pound piece of fat corn beef with a small piece of fresh pork for two hours in a large amount of water, then add a cabbage, turnips, carrots and potatoes, cook until tender, adding such seasoning as is needed.

Boiled Mutton.

Take two and one-half pounds of mutton from the shoulder or leg. Remove all the bone and add a quart of water, add salt, chopped carrots, celery, onion and eight or ten sliced potatoes. Season with pepper and cook slowly for two hours or more.

Stay, stay at home, my heart and rest; Homekeeping hearts are happiest; For those who wander, they know not where. Are full of trouble, full of care; To stay at home is the way to cheer.—Longfellow.

SERVE THE SOUP

Every spoonful of leftover vegetables, bones, broth from corned beef or a cupful of gravy, celery leaves and parsley, a tablespoonful of oil, are all an addition to a pot of soup.

Anything that is good no matter how small a quantity may be used in a soup. Soup prepared from such bits may be served at a low cost, while an occasional cream soup is served to add variety.

Vegetable Soup.—For three quarts of soup use one cupful each of diced meat, fresh or cooked carrots, turnips and tomato. Add one-half of a minced onion, one tablespoonful of salt and one-quarter of a teaspoonful of pepper.

A few leaves of lettuce, cabbage or summer squash may be added for variety. Bring to a boil, using four quarts of water, and cook slowly one and one-half hours. The last half hour add one-half cupful of rice and more salt and pepper if needed.

Cream of Saffron Soup.—Scrub six good roots of saffron, cut off the tops and let stand in cold water until ready to cook. Cook in boiling water until tender, press through a fine sieve. Put the pulp with a sliced onion and two sprigs of parsley into a double boiler. Add a pint of milk and let stand on the fire until needed. Melt one-third of a cupful of sweet fat, add one-half cupful of flour and cook until smooth. Add one teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of paprika and one quart of bubbling hot milk. Then add the saffron and milk. Reheat and add two well-beaten eggs mixed with a cupful of cream. Serve hot. The yolks may be cooked in the soup and the whites beaten stiff and served on top as a garnish. A tablespoonful of whipped cream, or less, on a bowl of soup is a great improvement.

Stuffed Eggs.—Cook eggs until hard and cut into halves after shelling. Remove the yolk, mash with softened butter, a bit of cayenne, onion juice, mustard and salt. Mix well and re-fill the whites with the seasoned yolks. Before filling dust the cavity with salt and rub with melted butter. Serve with bread and butter sandwiches.

Garret Soup.—Scrub and slice six carrots. Peel and chop one onion. Melt three tablespoonfuls of bacon fat, add the prepared vegetables, cover and let cook very slowly for an hour or until soft and these bits of chicken broth made from the bones and chopped giblets, simmer for half an hour, thicken with a tablespoonful of flour mixed with a little cold water added to the soup, cook until smooth, strain, season and serve.

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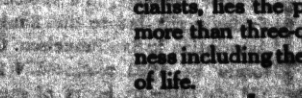
Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

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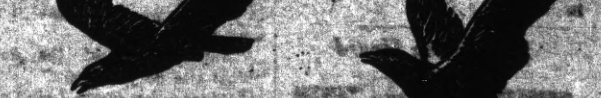
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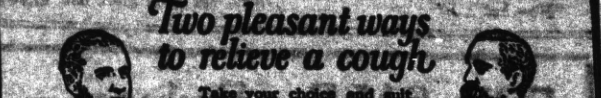
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Scenery of Fairy Tale Is Actual in Urals

By virtue of their metallic ores the Urals are the most remarkable mountains in the world. The hills are not earth-colored here, but manifold, bright and strange. There are pink mountains that bloom in the sunshine, dust-brown ridges, great teeth of white quartz, gold-studded. In the Urals the scenery of the fairy tale has become actual. You do journey for days through dark woods, and emerge at last to see the moon shining on a little silver mountain. You do come to the headstone mountains and lose all the heads of your boots. You do find forest hermits who live in caves of green marble, and who have collected and hidden away as evil all the lamps of gold that they have found in the wood. Yes, the Urals is a land where all the monotony of the green earth has gone, where there exists in its stead every rock and metal that men prize as rare and beautiful. Stephen Graham, in "Changing Russia."

Seen to Be Heard



"Does your janitor furnish you with steam heat?"
"Yes, but not the best."

Cities of the Sahara

According to ancient tradition among the Arabs, there was a time when the traveler could walk from Morocco to Mecca always in the shade.

There is an ancient caravan route across the Sahara, from Tripoli to Lake Chad on the other side, bordered by ruins of Roman dwellings, with stone walls crumbling away, the remains of paved roads and wells and other signs of a considerable population.

In Roman times many rich cities on the coast of North Africa exported great quantities of corn, says the Detroit News. The observations of explorers have demonstrated that extensive regions of the Sahara once supported large and prosperous communities.

The Easiest Way

The doctor on his round of golf was crossing the field with his small negro caddy, when the latter opened the conversation with: "Doctor, ain't you got some shoes up yonder in y' locker you don't want? I need some bad."

"Maybe so," said the doctor. "What size do you wear?"
"I dunno, seh, 'cause I ain't never bought none dat-er-way—I either kin git in 'em, or I can't."

Accounts Squared

The foreman was going from one man to another with a sheet of paper in his hand.

When he reached Sandy he said, "Sandy, this is a subscription to get a wreath for Jock Stuart, who died last week, and all your mates have given a shilling each toward it."
"Och, mon," replied Sandy, "that'll make me an' Jock square now. He owed me a bob, anyway."

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A Premium on Idleness

The Saturday Evening Post tells a story of an eastern textile manufacturer of middle age who rebelled against high tax rates. He closed his mill, liquidated his capital and put the proceeds into tax-free securities. He now spends his time in travel and recreation. This is what he says about it:

"Why should I keep factory hours, subject my capital to the risks of business, wear myself out in the daily grind, and then hand over 58 per cent of my profits to the federal government and another large slice to the state and local tax collectors? My tax-free bonds yield me more dollars than I can call my own than my business did before I gave it up. The government that penalized me when I was a useful and productive citizen now puts a premium on my idleness."

The Green amendment to the constitution which has been before congress to do away with future issues of tax-exempt bonds was defeated on February 8, 1924, by the narrow margin of 7 votes, less than the two-thirds required. Many speakers who opposed the amendment spent more time abusing those who favored it than in presenting economic arguments against it. Lazy wealth will enjoy another year of idleness in tax-exempt bonds, but public demand for a square deal in taxation grows stronger every year.

Building Laws Should

Be Made Flexible

The adjustment of workable building codes for a city are often quite difficult to adjust, and those of the smaller cities and towns are still harder to solve. In discussing these problems the National Lumberman association arrived at this conclusion:

"The secret of beneficial building regulation is flexibility. The classification of building; the limitation of heights, size and arrangement; and the defining of restricted areas must be determined by local circumstances."

"Financial limitations frequently lead officials in small cities to look to the laws in force in larger cities for inspiration and material. The provisions of the code designed to regulate buildings in a metropolitan center can seldom be satisfactorily reconciled to the needs of the town."

"A standard specification to cover all types and classes of cities would play as serious havoc as a standard prescription to relieve all human ailments. A good code deals with fundamentals and leaves future needs to be met by amendments."

California Leads

California produces more electric energy from water power than the combined output of the great states of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, according to figures by Wigginton E. Creed, president of the Pacific Gas and Electric company, in a speech last Friday night before the Bankers' Association in San Francisco. California in 1923 produced 4,119,375,000 kilowatt hours of energy, and the three states named 4,099,554,000 kilowatt hours.

NEEDLESS ATTENTION

Bald-Headed Guest—Well, sonny, what is it that annoys you?
"Nothing; only mother has put a brush and comb in your bedroom."

HIS SECRET AMBITION

"What is an optimist, dad?"
"An optimist, my boy, is a man who buys a pair of goggles in case somebody gives him a motor car."

Power of Niagara

Brownson (describing holiday abroad)—It's really marvelous the wonderful force Niagara has. Do you know, when we first saw it for a full minute my wife couldn't speak!

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Southern Division of the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, First Division, No. 15541 in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Thomas K. Wees, bankrupt.

To the creditors of Thomas K. Wees, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of March, 1924, the said Thomas K. Wees was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Room 705 Easton Building, in the city of Oakland on the 6th day of April, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Claims must be in the form required by the Bankruptcy Act and sworn to. Dated Oakland, California, March 24, 1924.

WM. J. HAYES, Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the Counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, State of California.

Hell W. Sanders, Attorney for Plaintiff

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California.

May Elizabeth Young, Plaintiff vs. George Young, Defendant.

No. 11019, Dept. No. 1.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said county of Contra Costa.

The people of the state of California send greeting to George Young, defendant:

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled above brought against you in the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, state of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the county of Contra Costa, State of California, this 2nd day of January, A. D. 1924.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.
B. A. M. De Soito, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal of the Superior Court of said county.)
John M. O'neal, 314 San Pablo ave., El Cerrito, Cal., attorney for plaintiff.
1st pub March 21; last pub May 12

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1924. Every person entitled thereto must register thirty days before any election at which he or she desires to vote. Registration for the purpose of voting at municipal elections for town of the sixth class closes March 14, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election closes April 3, 1924. Registration for purpose of voting at August Primary election closes July 25, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at General election closes October 4, 1924.

You may register with the county clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated January 10, 1924.

County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are the Registration Deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Paris, L. W. Broughman, City Hall; Miss Georgia Johnson, 208 Richmond ave.; E. P. Vaughn, 621 Macdonald ave.; Miss Fannie Nesbit, 621 Macdonald ave.; H. G. Stidman, 621 Washington ave.; M. J. Gordon, 331 Macdonald ave.; H. O. Watson, 931 Macdonald ave.; Mrs. Lillian Blake, 2802 Cutting Blvd.; R. V. March, 428 7th st.; R. L. Webb, 5706 Highland ave.
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